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STAT	MESSAGE BFN: _____		(COMCENTER USE ONLY)	
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REF WA986 AND LD307 ON PROPAGANDA ALERTS FOR USIA:

1. LET'S START THE SERVICE ON 29 JULY. I HAVE ALERTED USIA.
2. O.K., THE FLAG WILL BE "USIA ALERT."
3. WIRE CANNOT PROVIDE FEEDBACK AND GUIDANCE. THEY WILL ACT ONLY AS THE RELAY POINT. THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THIS IS BEING HANDLED BY ME WITH MIKE SCHNEIDER, DEPUTY ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR FOR PROGRAMS AT USIA; IN OTHER WORDS, AT A POLICY LEVEL. MIKE HAS AGREED TO TRACK THE FLAGGED MATERIAL AND GET BACK TO ME IN A WEEK OR TWO AS TO WHETHER OUR FLAGGING SEEMS ON TARGET. IF YOU HAVE ANY SPECIFIC QUESTION OR PROBLEM SEND A MESSAGE TO ME OR TO LRB OR CALL; THE GENERAL THRUST OF OUR APPROACH IS TO KEEP THE SYSTEM SIMPLE AS POSSIBLE. YOUR JUDGMENT IS AS GOOD AS OURS. WE'LL TRY IT FOR A WHILE AND SEE WHAT ADDITIONAL GUIDANCE MIGHT BE HELPFUL. THE OBJECTIVE IS

SIMPLY TO GEAR UP THE U.S. COUNTER-PROPAGANDA EFFORT
MORE QUICKLY.

4. RE ITEMS APPEARING IN U.S. MEDIA, WE WON'T NEED
TO GUIDE YOU ON THAT. THEY ARE NOT LOOKING FOR ANYTHING
REALLY SUBTLE; BASICALLY IT'S THE BIG STUFF, AS INDICATED
IN THE SAMPLES IN PARA. 4 OF WA986.